

OCT 24 '05 15:22 FR IPLAW E FISHKILL

845 892 6363 TO 915712738300

P.01/08

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 24 2005

**FACSIMILE
TRANSMISSION
TO USPTO**

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING FACSIMILE
TRANSMITTED TO THE USPTO ON THE DATE SHOWN BELOW:

Date of Transmission: October 24, 2005
Name of Person Making Transmission: Robert Faber
Signature: *Robert Faber*

DOCUMENT(S) FAXED:

PAGES ATTACHED: 7

| | |
|--------------|---------------------------|
| Re Applic of | Richard P. Volant, et al. |
| Docket No. | FIS920010219US1 |
| Serial No. | 10/026,146 |
| Filing Date | 12/21/01 |
| Attorney | Joseph P. Abate |

Attached:

Amendment Transmittal Form
Amendment

PLEASE DELIVER TO: Hung K. Vu
EXAMINER: ART UNIT: 2811
CONFIRMATION NO.: 8227
PHONE NO:
FAX NO: 571-273-8300

THIS MESSAGE IS INTENDED ONLY FOR THE USE OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR ENTITY TO WHICH IT IS ADDRESSED, AND MAY CONTAIN INFORMATION THAT IS PRIVILEGED, CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT FROM DISCLOSURE UNDER APPLICABLE LAW. IF THE READER OF THIS MESSAGE IS NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, OR THE EMPLOYEE OR AGENT RESPONSIBLE FOR DELIVERING THE MESSAGE TO THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ANY DISSEMINATION, DISTRIBUTION OR COPYING OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR, PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY BY TELEPHONE AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE TO US AT THE ADDRESS TO THE RIGHT VIA THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION

Intellectual Property Law
East Fishkill Facility
2070 Route 92
Hopewell Junction
New York 12533-6531

Fax: 845-892-6363
Phone: 845-894-2580

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Richard P. Volant, et al.

Docket No.
FIS920010219US1

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| Application No. | Filing Date | Examiner | Customer No. | Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. |
| 10/026,146 | 12/21/01 | Hung K. Vu | 32074 | 2811 | 8227 |

Invention: **MULTI-LEVEL RF PASSIVE DEVICE**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 24 2005

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR | NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 12 - | 20 = | 0 | x \$50.00 | \$0.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 2 - | 3 = | 0 | x \$200.00 | \$0.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | \$0.00 |

No additional fee is required for amendment.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0458 in the amount of \$0.00

A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 09-0458

Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Dated: October 24, 2005

Joseph P. Abate
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 30,238
Telephone No. 845-894-4633
Fax No. 845-892-6363

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents on

October 24, 2005
(Date)

Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Robert Faber

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

cc:

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 24 2005

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING SUBMITTED VIA FACSIMILE TO: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313, ON October 24, 2005

Sent By: Robert Faber

Robert Faber 10-24-05

Signature & Date

| IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | |
|--|---|
| In re application of: Richard P. Volant, et al. | Date: October 24, 2005 |
| Serial Number: 10/026,146 | Examiner: Hung K. Vu |
| Filed: December 21, 2001 | Group Art Unit: 2811 |
| Title: Multi-Level RF Passive Device | IBM Corporation D/18G, B/321, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531 |

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated 8/24/05, kindly amend the application as follows.